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For: SCORED PHARMACEUTICAL TABLETS COMPRISING A PLURALITY
OF SEGMENTS

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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed October 7, 2011. Reconsideration is respectfully requested. Being timely submitted within the three-month shortened statutory period for response (January 7, 2012 falling on a Saturday), applicants believe no Petition or fee for an extension of time is required. This Reply includes the following:

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